

## MEDIATION STATISTICS

Period: January - March 2003

	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Referrals Pending Beginning of Period	2	1	3
Mediation Orders Entered	3	5	8
Mediation Orders Withdrawn	0	0	0
Settled Prior to Mediation Session	0	0	0
Referrals Pending End of Period	1	0	1
Total Cases Mediated (With MRO) <sup>1</sup>	4	6	10
Cases Mediated (No MRO)	4	3	7 <sup>2</sup>
Total Cases Mediated	8	9	17
Mediation Reference Orders, by Division	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Omaha	1	1	2
Lincoln	2	3	5
North Platte	0	1	1
Total	3	5	8
Cases Mediated Without MRO, by Division	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Omaha	4	2	6
Lincoln	0	0	0
North Platte	0	1	1
Total	4	3	7

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<sup>1</sup> "MRO" means "Mediation Reference Order."

<sup>2</sup> Some mediations take place without the entry of a mediation reference order. These cases are counted when they are reported by the attorneys to have settled or when there is a final pretrial conference. If a mediated case ends by involuntary dismissal or summary judgment, however, the court is not informed of the fact or results of that mediation. Thus, there could have been more "No-MRO" mediations than appear in this report.

Outcome of Mediated Cases (MRO)	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Full Agreement	2	4	6
Partial Agreement	0	0	0
No Agreement	2	2	4
Outcome of Mediated Cases (No MRO)			
Full Agreement	3	1	4
No/Partial Agreement	1	2	3
Total	8	9	17
Summary of No/Partial Agreement, After Closure	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Trial Settings Pending Beginning of Reporting Period	4	20	24 <sup>3</sup>
No or Partial Agreement, This Period (from above)	3	4	7 <sup>4</sup>
Settled	0	5	5
Judgment Entered Without Trial or Settlement	0	0	0
Transfer to Bankruptcy	0	0	0
Trials Held During Reporting Period	0	0	0
Trial Settings Pending at End of Reporting Period	7	19	26

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<sup>3</sup> Of the 24 trial settings that were pending at the beginning of the reporting period, 4 of those cases settled during this period.

<sup>4</sup> Of the cases that were mediated during the 1st quarter of 2003 and had no agreement, 1 case settled later in this period.